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Title: USE OF CELL LINES TO PRODUCE ACTIVE THERAPEUTIC PROTEINS

**AMENDMENT BEFORE THE INTERNATIONAL
PRELIMINARY EXAMINING AUTHORITY**

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Gentlemen:

Applicant hereby replies to the Written Opinion issued July 29, 2005 by the International Preliminary Examining Authority ("IPEA"), the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

In the Claims

It is requested that original claims 1-61 (pages 92-99) of the above-referenced PCT application be replaced with a new claim set, as provided on replacement pages 92-99 (containing claims 1-61) attached herewith. The Abstract of the Disclosure, at page 100, is not changed.